CHAPTER 157 - DIVINE PROTECTION

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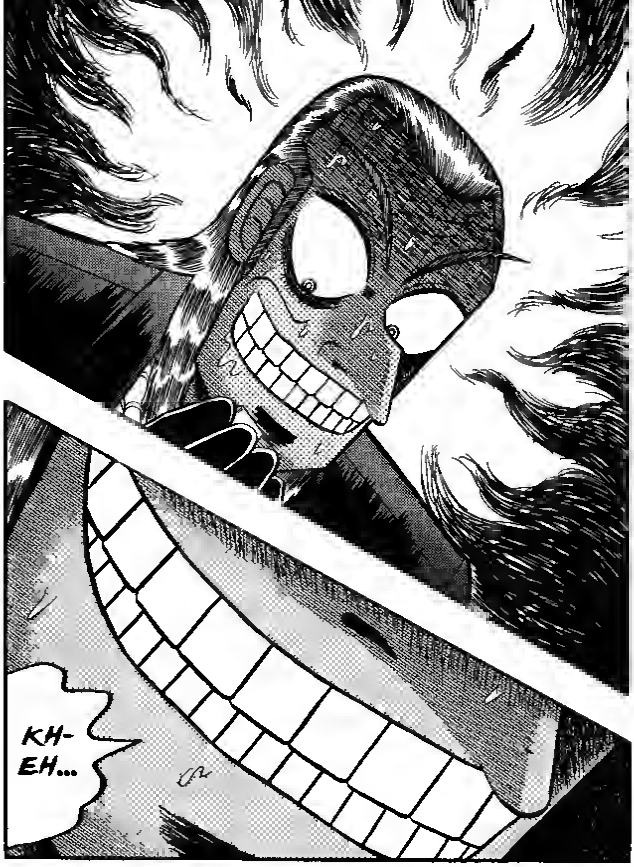
WHAT THE-!! THAT'S -!!
WHA -?!

THAT'S INCRED-IBLE!!
AND WHAT'S MORE, IT'S THE PEI!!
ANOTHER HONOR TILE...!!
THE PEI MEANS...
IF HE SWITCHES IT OUT FOR THE CHUN, THEN...
HE'LL HAVE A PEI WAIT!!!

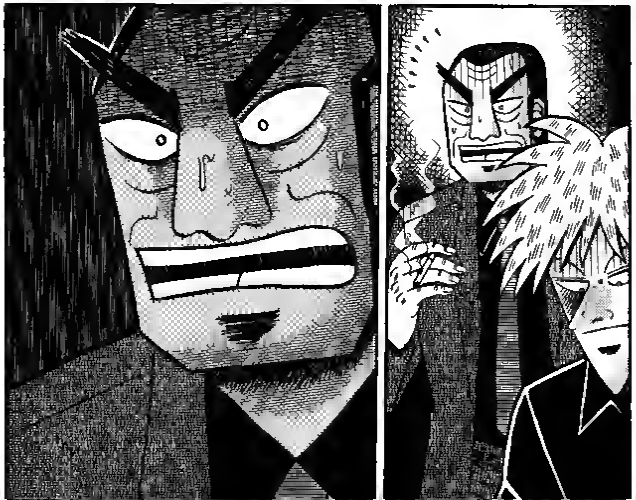
ON TOP OF EVERY-THING ELSE ...
AND THAT PEI SINGLE WAIT...
IS IN HIS HAND!

SUZUKI HAS IT IN HIS HAND!!
WHICH MEANS ...

T/N: "SHOU SUU SHII" (LITERALLY "LITTLE FOUR WINDS") IS WHEN YOU HAVE A TRIPLET OF THREE OF THE WIND TILES, AND A PAIR OF THE FORTH, WORTH YAKUMAN.



96,000 POINTS!!



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HAH
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KHEH
HEH
HEH
...!!
WOULD
YOU LOOK
AT THAT
....!

SO THIS IS HOW IT IS...!!
I SEE...!
HMMM MMM!
DREW THAT TRIFLING CHUN, TO BE SURE...
BUT IT IS NOTHING!
THAT BRAT...
IT CAN BE OVER-LOOKED COMP-ARED TO THIS!

HOPE TO PUT UP A FIGHT AGAINST ME...
SO TO IMAGINE THAT HE COULD POSSIBLY..
I AM FAVORED BY THE HEAVENS!
I AM UNDER THE PROTECTION OF THE DIVINE...!
IS NOTHING MORE THAN A DELUSION!
WHAT WAS I EVEN THINKING, BEFORE?!
KHEH-HEH-HEH...! SIMPLY IDIOTIC...!!
THAT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE!!
THERE'S NO WAY!

THE ONE ...
THAT GOD HAS CHOSEN ...

KEN!!
IS ME !!
ONLY ME!!!

WASHIZU IWAO, IS GOD'S CHOSEN ONE!!
ONLY THE EM-PEROR...
Washizu
Tsuu Ii Sou, Shou Suu Shii Tenpai...!

KGH ...!
GGH ...!
ざわ…
K-HEH HEH HEH ...!
K-HAH HAH HAH !!
A PEI WAIT ?!
PEI ...?
THI-NKING ABOUT HOW I AM NOW...
I DON'T NEED A CHUN!
THAT'S RIGHT!!
FOR GOD...
THAT WAS MERELY TRIFLING FOR ME!!

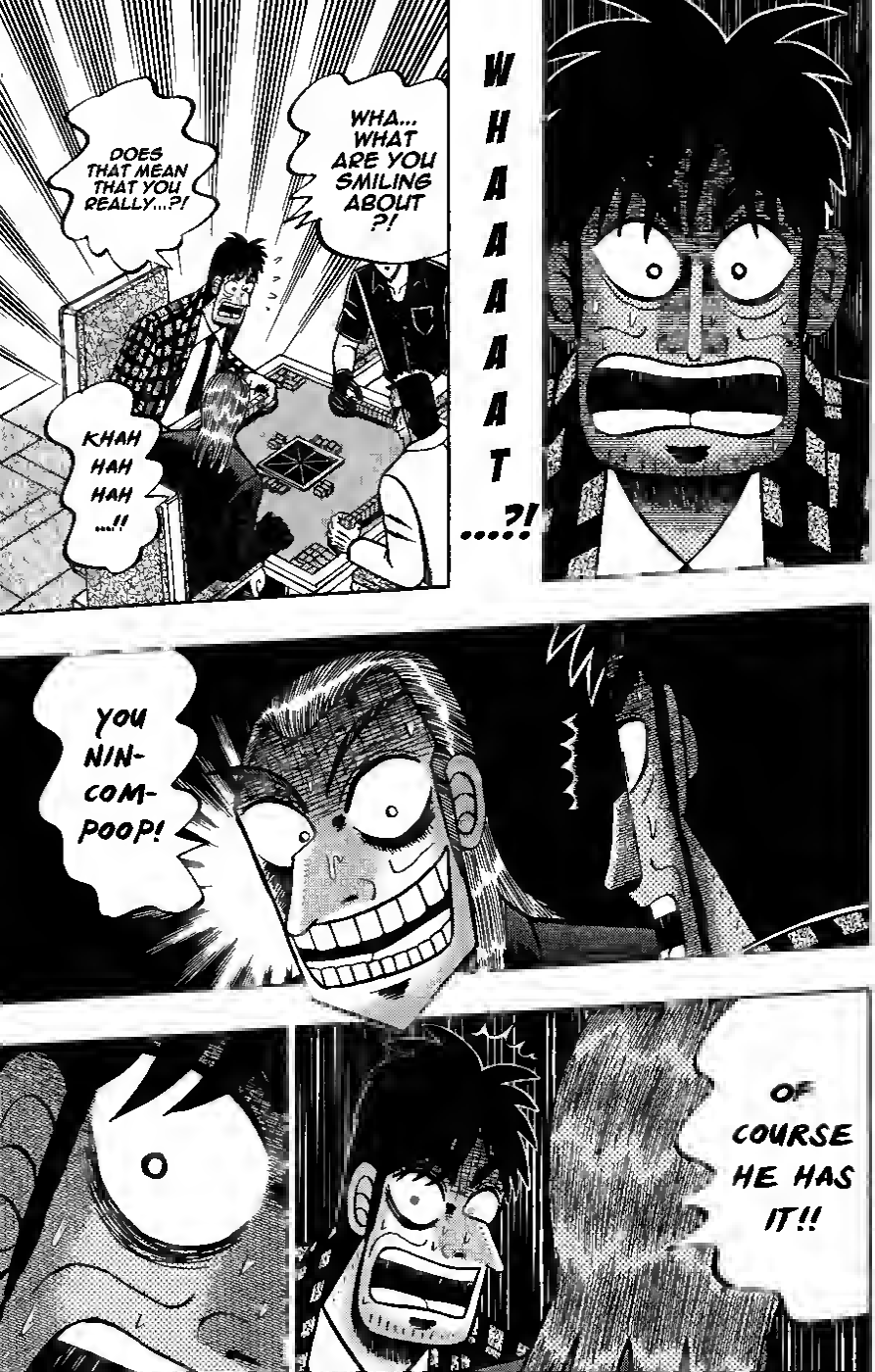
A DOUBLE YAKU-MAN!! (TSUU II SOU, SHOU SUU SHII)
HAS TAKEN MY HAND UP EVEN HIGHER WITH ANOTHER YAKU-MAN!!
I WILL WIN BY A LAND-SLIDE!!
EVERY LAST DROP OF BLOOD FROM THAT BODY OF YOURS, FAR BEYOND WHAT YOU NEED TO LIVE!!
IT WILL BE ENO-UGH TO TAKE ...
AND WITH THIS DOUBLE YAKU-MAN...
IT WILL DRAIN THE DEMON DOWN TO NOTHING ...!

YOU WILL HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO WRITHE IN PAIN!!
YOU WILL DIE IN HORRIFYING AGONY !!
IN OTHER WORDS ...
K-HEH HEH HEH ...
GGH ...!
YOU DRAWING THAT CHUN DID NOTHING TO STOP MY TSUU II SOU!!
THERE WAS NEVER ANY NEED FOR IT!!

RIGHT ...?
YOU DEMON ...!!
HM MM MM MM?

HAH HAH HAH HAH!
KEH-HAHHH!
KHEH ...!!
GGHH ...!
KHEH KEH KEH!!
WHAT'S GOING ON?
ククク...
KGGHHH ...!
HIS HAND GETS SHOU SUU SHI! ADDED ONTO IT ...
THE PEI WOULD MEAN...
AND THIS TIME, IT'S THE PEI!
AN HONOR TILE!
EVERY SINGLE DRAW OF HIS HAS BEEN...

IT'S INSANE!!
K-HEH HEH HEH !!
FOR DOUBLE YAKU-MAN!
BUT ...
AN ABSO-LUTELY INSANE FLOW!!
.....
AND IF SUZUKI DOESN'T HAVE IT...
IT'S SUZUKI'S TURN!
IT COULD STILL WORK OUT!
RIGHT NOW... IF HE HAS JUST THE SLIGHTEST BIT OF BAD LUCK...
WHA ...?
IF HE DOE-SN'T HAVE IT, THEN
IF SUZUKI DOESN'T HAVE THAT PE!
Chk


WHA... WHAT ARE YOU SMILING ABOUT?!
DOES THAT MEAN THAT YOU REALLY...?!
KHAH HAH HAH ...!!
WHAAAAAAT...?!
YOU NIN-COM-POOP!
O
OF COURSE HE HAS IT!!

KHAH HAH HAH HAH!!
WH AA AA AA ?!
WHAT'S THERE TO BE SHOCKED ABOUT ...?
HUH HH HH H?
IS THIS NOT JUST NATURAL ?!
WITH MY LUCK, OF COURSE HE WOULD HAVE IT!

THIS IS WHAT YOU HAVE TO EXPECT WHEN DEALING WITH AN EMPEROR SUCH AS MYSELF ...!
WAS-HIZU SAMA.
?
YOU MUST BE JOK-ING!
SHALL I?
HUH ...?
WHAT ...?

WHAT GOOD WOULD DEALING IT DO ...?
I'M GOING TO DRAW THAT TILE NEXT, AFTER ALL! THAT PEI!
WHA...!!

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WHAT!?....
WAS-HIZU SAMA...!!

WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!!
WAS-HIZU SAMA ...!!
KHEH HEH HEH ...!
WASHIZU SAMA...!!
WHY... WHY DO YOU KEEP DOING THIS?!

K-HEH HEH HEH ...!
IT'S INSANE!!
THIS LUNATIC KEEPS PUSHING FURTHER AND FUR-THER...!!

YOU'RE GOING TO DRAW THE PE?!
IF YOU'RE GOING TO DRAW THE PE, THEN...
WASHIZU SAMA ...!!
DO WE STILL HAVE A WAY TO STAY ALIVE TO MAKE A COMEBACK ...?!
DOES THIS MEAN THERE'S STILL A CHANCE ...?

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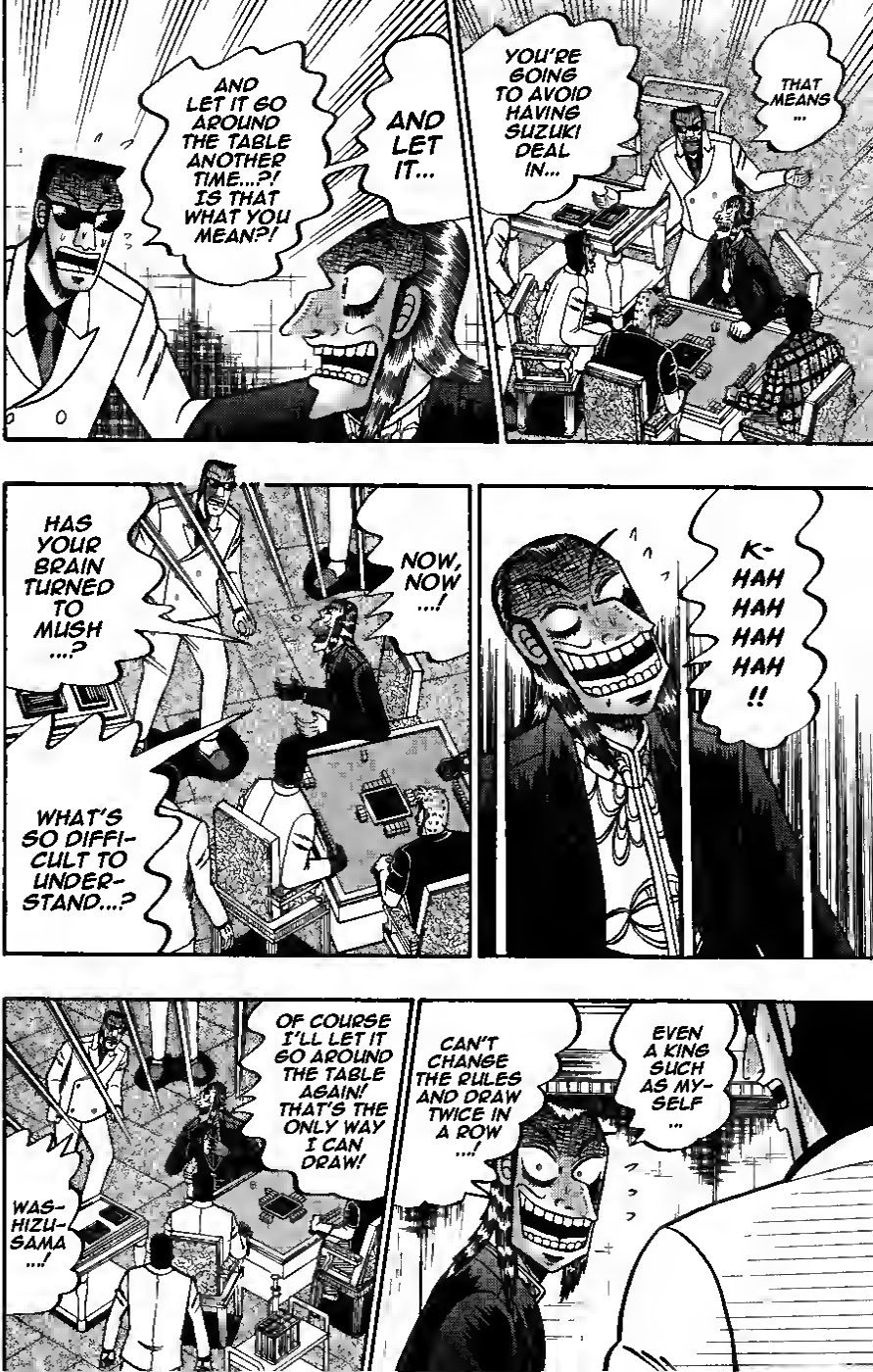
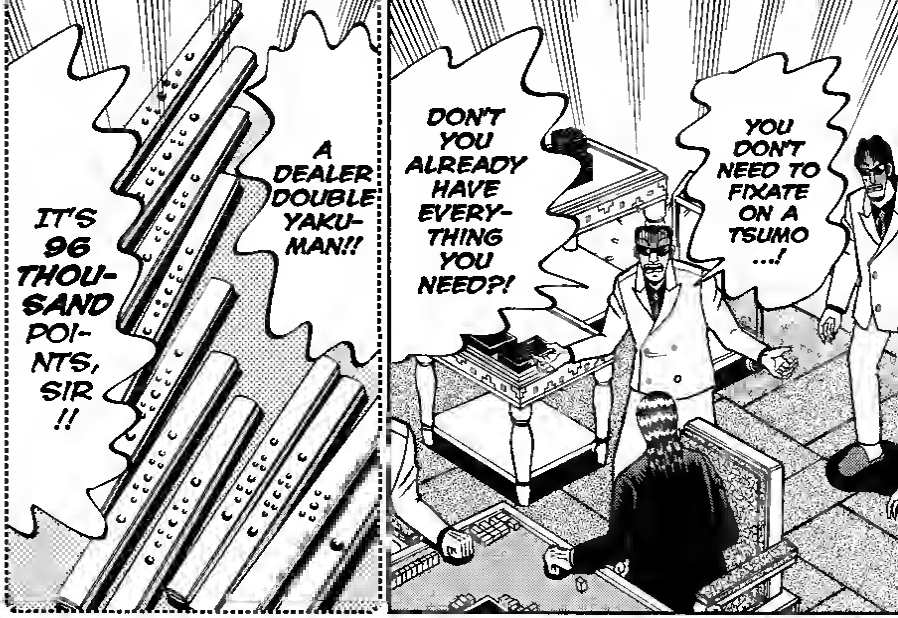
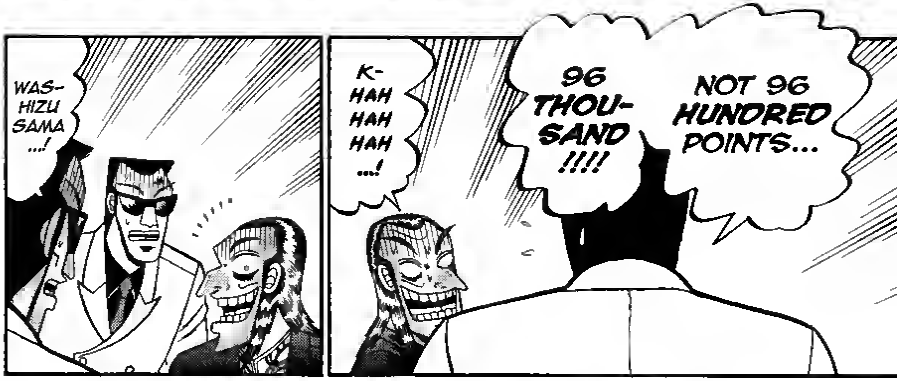
THIS IS LUDI-CROUS ...!!

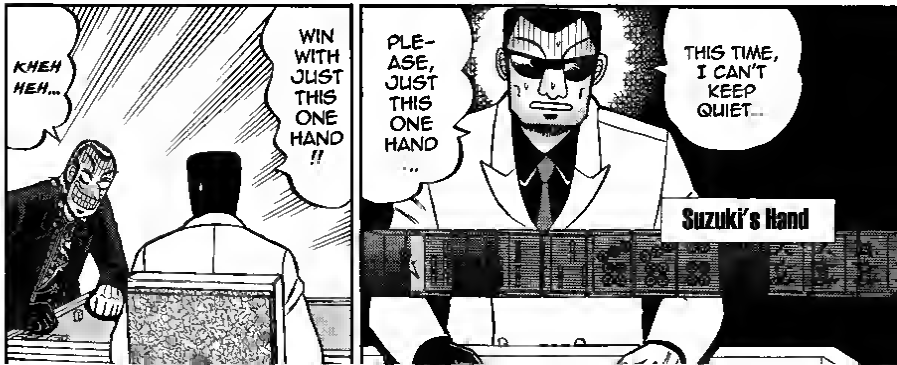
HA HH HH HH ...!!
PLEASE, JUST THINK ABOUT IT SOME MORE!!

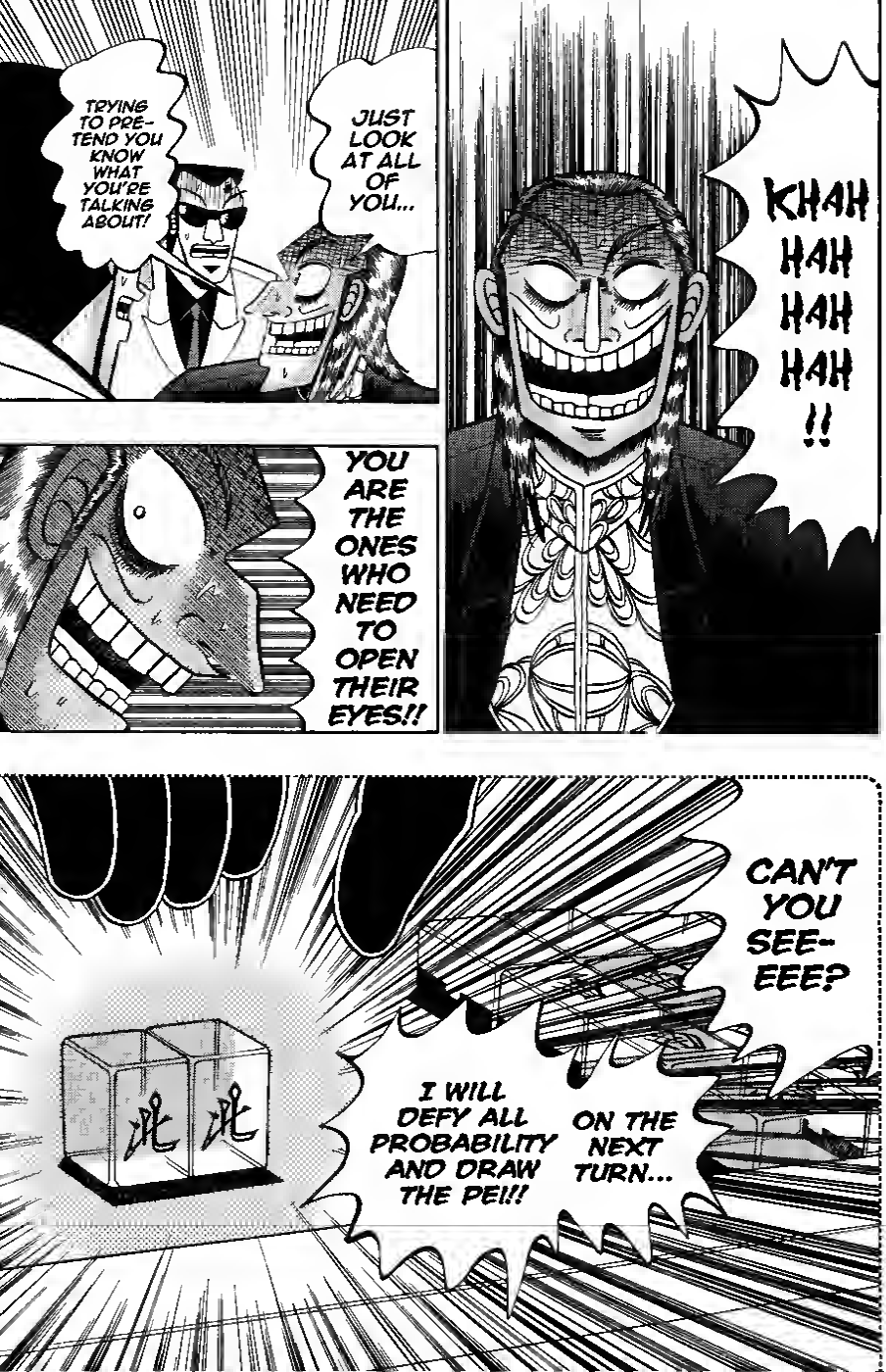

THAT MEANS ...
YOU'RE GOING TO AVOID HAVING SUZUKI DEAL IN...
AND LET IT...
AND LET IT GO AROUND THE TABLE ANOTHER TIME...?! IS THAT WHAT YOU MEAN?!
K-HAH HAH HAH HAH !!
NOW, NOW ...!
HAS YOUR BRAIN TURNED TO MUSH ...?
WHAT'S SO DIFFI-CULT TO UNDER-STAND...?
EVEN A KING SUCH AS MY-SELF ...
CAN'T CHANGE THE RULES AND DRAW TWICE IN A ROW ...!
OF COURSE I'LL LET IT GO AROUND THE TABLE AGAIN! THAT'S THE ONLY WAY I CAN DRAW!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!

LOOK AT WHAT'S RIGHT THERE ...
JUST OPEN YOUR EYES AND LOOK !!
YOU CANNOT DO THAT!!
THERE'S JUST NO WAY!!
THIS MIRA-CLE!!
THIS MON-STER HAND !!


A DEALER DOUBLE YAKU-MAN!!
IT'S 96 THOU-SAND POI-NTS, SIR !!
DON'T YOU ALREADY HAVE EVERY-THING YOU NEED?!
YOU DON'T NEED TO FIXATE ON A TSUMO ...!


WAS-HIZU SAMA ...!
K-HAH HAH HAH ...!
96 THOU-SAND !!!!
NOT 96 HUNDRED POINTS...


KHEH HEH...
WIN WITH JUST THIS ONE HAND !!
PLE-ASE, JUST THIS ONE HAND ...
THIS TIME, I CAN'T KEEP QUIET...
Suzuki's Hand

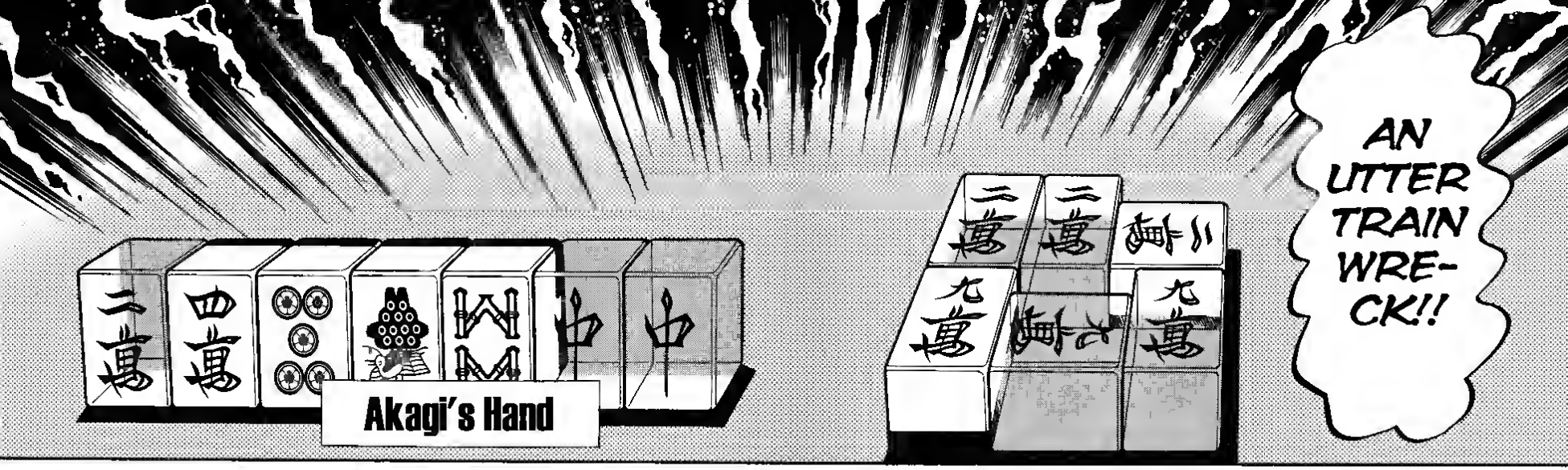

TRYING TO PRETEND YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT!
JUST LOOK AT ALL OF YOU...
KHAH HAH HAH HAH !!
YOU ARE THE ONES WHO NEED TO OPEN THEIR EYES!!
CAN'T YOU SEE-EEE?
I WILL DEFY ALL PROBABILITY AND DRAW THE PE!!!
ON THE NEXT TURN...

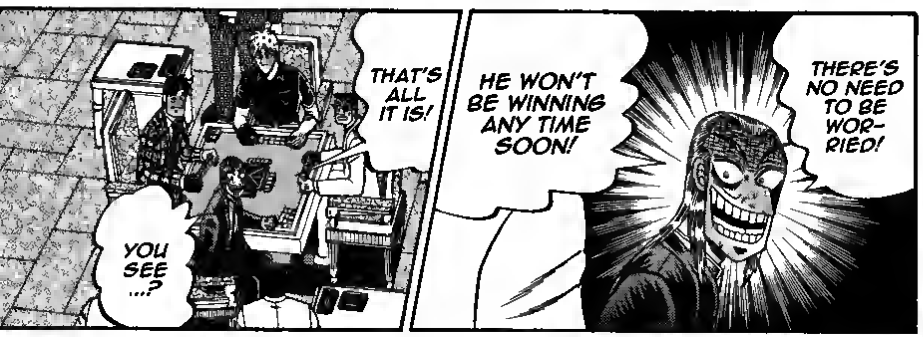
I SEE IT!
NO, SIR!
IT'S AS CLEAR AS DAY TO ME!
AS YOU ARE NOW, WASHIZU-SAMA, YOU WILL ALMOST CERTAINLY DRAW IT!
I AM IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT WITH YOU ON THAT POINT!
AHH ...?
NO !!
THEN WE HAVE NO PROB-LEM!
YOU WILL GET THE PEI THAT YOU NEED!
THAT IS NOT TRUE, SIR!!
KHAH HAH HAH ...!

PLEASE, TRY AND UNDER-STAND!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA !!
EVEN WITH THAT, YOU MUST NOT GO ON!
IT WOULD SEEM CLEAR THAT HE IS IN HON ITSU TENPAI!
AND DEALT THE 9-MAN!
AKAGI HAS CALLED TWO TIMES...
IT'S OBVI-OUS!
THAT HAND IS A BLUFF!
WHAT ARE YOU BLAB-BERING ON ABOUT?
OH, STOP IT!
SO... SO... SO IF BY SOME CHANCE, AKAGI MAKES-
WAS-HIZU SAMA ...!!

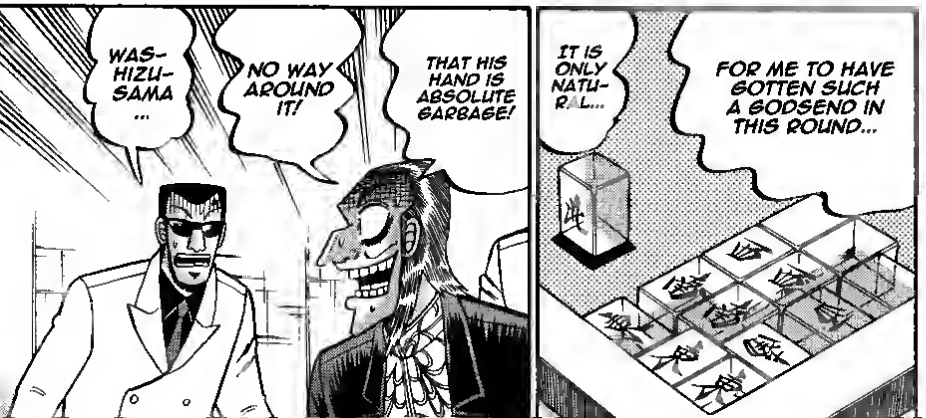
I'M SORRY, BUT FROM MY PERSPECTIVE, THE ODDS OF THAT ARE VERY LOW!
HUH ...?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ...?
YOU SEE, IF AKAGI ...
WERE NOT IN TENPAI JUST NOW...
THEN WHEN YOU PLAYED THAT CHUN JUST NOW, WASHIZU-SAMA...
HE WOULD MOST CERTAINLY HAVE CALLED PON!
IT COULD ONLY ADVANCE HIS HAND A BIT FURTHER!
AND ALSO, IF HE CALLED PON...
HE WOULD SKIP OVER SUZUKI'S TURN AS WELL, KILLING TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE!
IT WOULD BE TRE-MENDOUS FOR HIM!
SO FOR HIM TO HAVE OVER-LOOKED THAT CHUN CAN ONLY MEAN...

MEAN-ING...
...CALLING WOULD WORSEN HIS HAND!
二萬 三萬 四萬 伍萬 六萬 中 中
HE WOULD BE PUT INTO A SHAPE WITH LESS WAYS TO WIN...
四萬 三萬 二萬
IN OTHER WORDS ...
THAT WOULD MEAN...
K-HAH HAH HAH !!
KHEH HEH HEH ...!
HE IS IN TENPAI, RIGHT NOW!
RIGHT THIS MO-MENT ...
HIS HAND IS...
IT'S THE EXACT OPPO-SITE!
HOW MUCH NON-SENSE CAN YOU SPEW, HMM?!
WHAT A BAD JOKE!
HEY, HEY!


Akagi's Hand
AN UTTER TRAIN WRE-CK!!


THAT'S ALL IT IS!
YOU SEE ...?
HE WON'T BE WINNING ANY TIME SOON!
THERE'S NO NEED TO BE WOR-RIED!

GGH ...!
HE DID NOT CALL THE CHUN, JUST NOW!
SO THAT IS WHY...
THERE'S NOTHING HE CAN DO TO IMPROVE HIS HAND AT THIS POINT!


WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...
NO WAY AROUND IT!
THAT HIS HAND IS ABSOLUTE GARBAGE!
IT IS ONLY NATU-RAL...
FOR ME TO HAVE GOTTEN SUCH A GODSEND IN THIS ROUND...

YOU SEE ...?
HE SAW THROUGH AKAGI'S TRICK...
FUCK!
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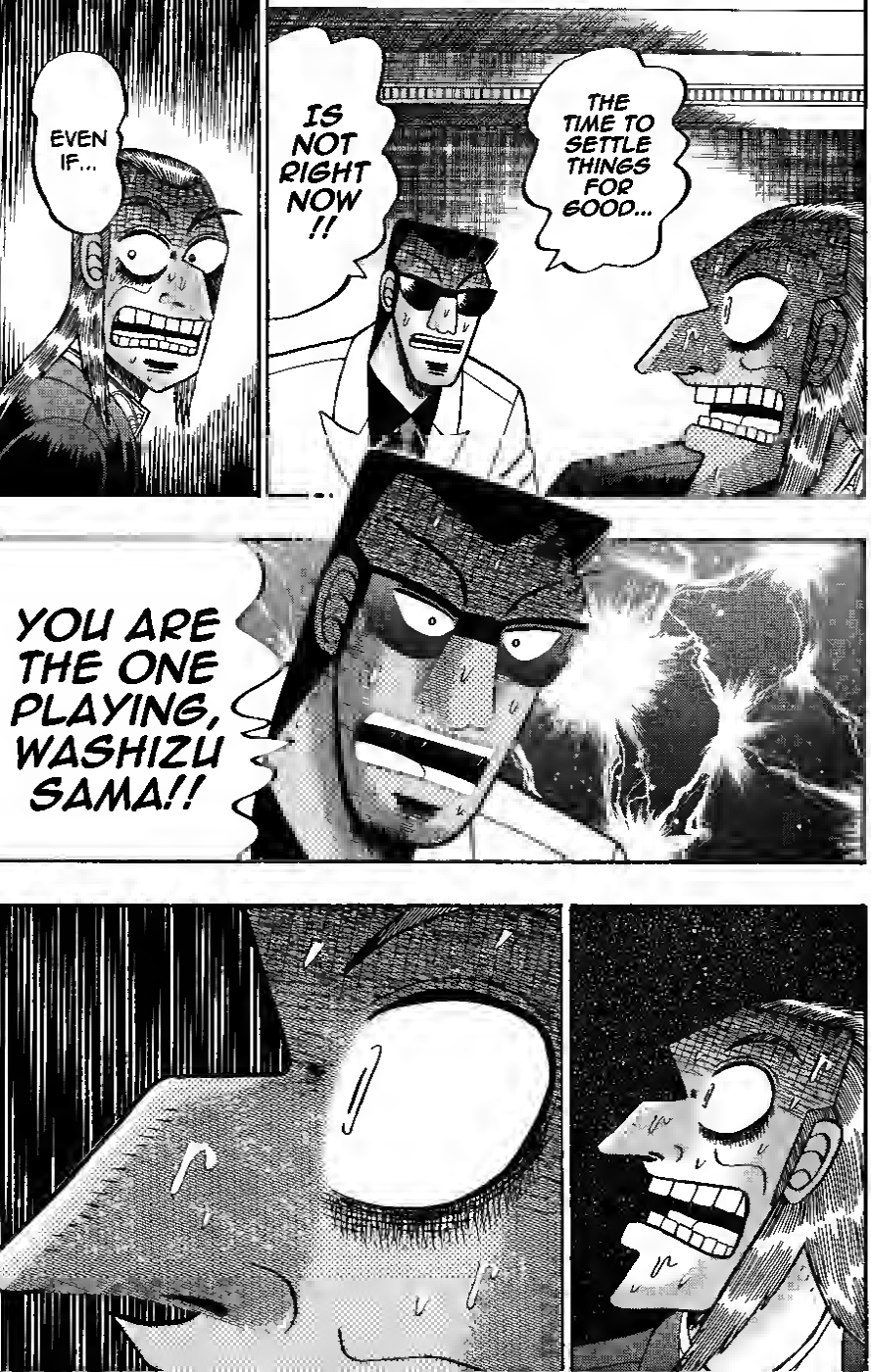
I UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE SAYING!
I HAVE BEEN WORKING FOR YOU FOR 10 YEARS NOW...
AND I HAVE SEEN YOUR AMAZING FORTUNE AT WORK ALL THE WHILE!
SO THAT IS WHY...
I AM ABLE TO UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU SAY!
BUT EVEN SO...
RIGHT NOW...
WE HAVE TO TAKE FULL ADVANTAGE OF THIS CHANGE WHILE WE STILL CAN!
IF THERE'S EVEN THE SLIGHTEST AMOUNT OF RISK INVOLVED...
THEN WE MUST WARD IT OFF!
AVOID THAT RISK...
AND SEIZE WHAT IS ABSOLUTELY DEFINITE!
THIS DOUBLE YAKU-MAN!!


EVEN IF...
IS NOT RIGHT NOW !!
THE TIME TO SETTLE THINGS FOR GOOD...
YOU ARE THE ONE PLAYING, WASHIZU SAMA!!

WHAAAAT?!?!
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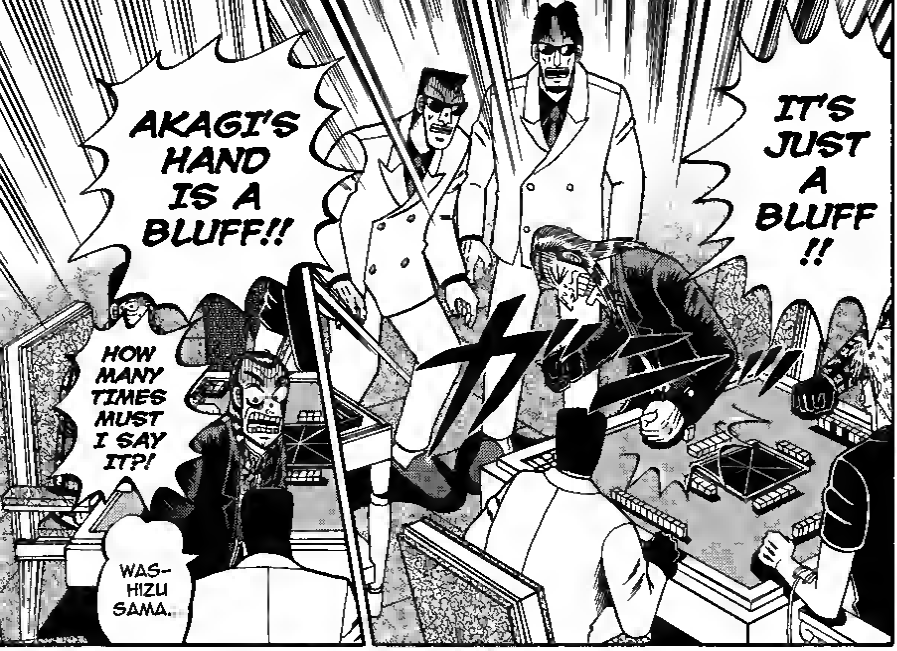
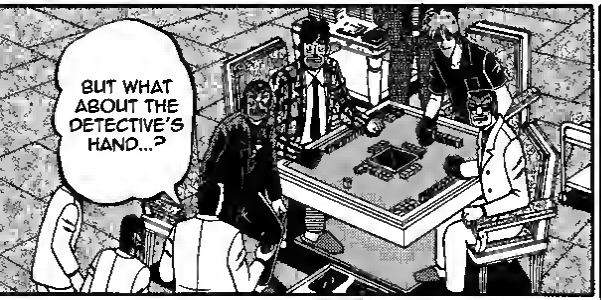
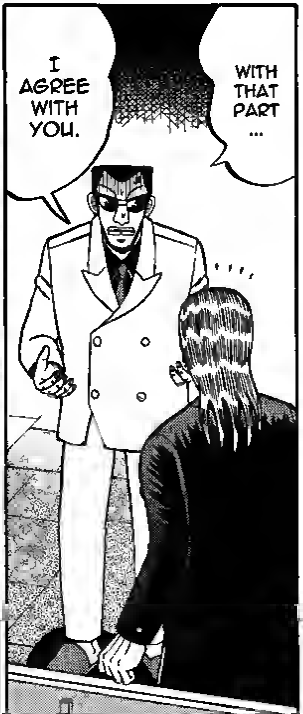
WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY TO ME, YOU BASTARD?!
HAVE YOU GONE MAD?!
HAVE YOU NO CONFIDENCE?!

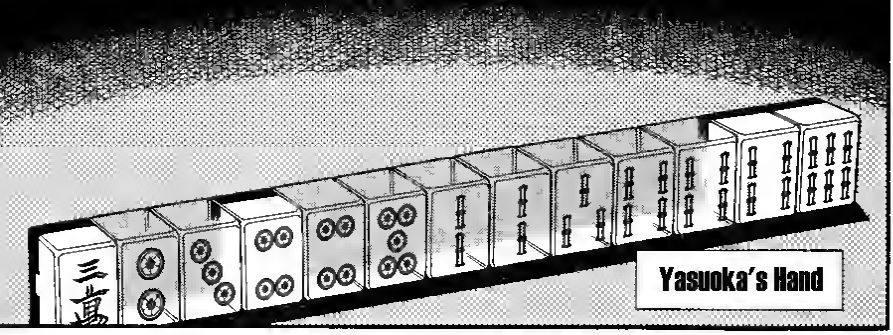

AKAGI'S HAND IS A BLUFF!!
IT'S JUST A BLUFF !!
HOW MANY TIMES MUST I SAY IT?!
WAS-HIZU SAMA.

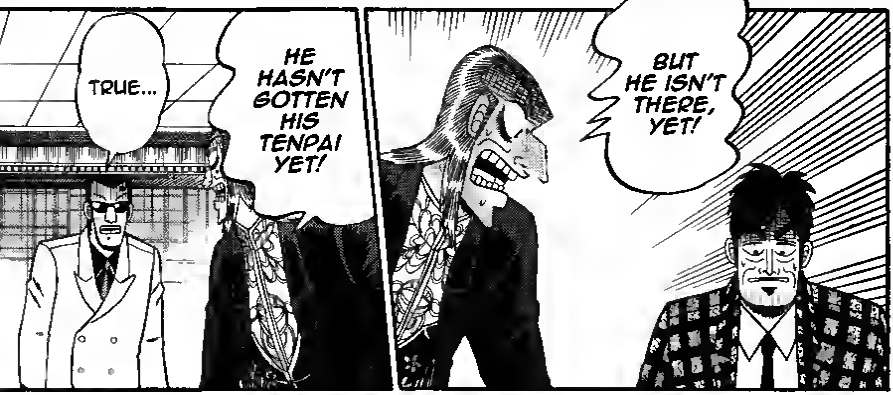

BUT WHAT ABOUT THE DETECTIVE'S HAND...?

HUH ...?

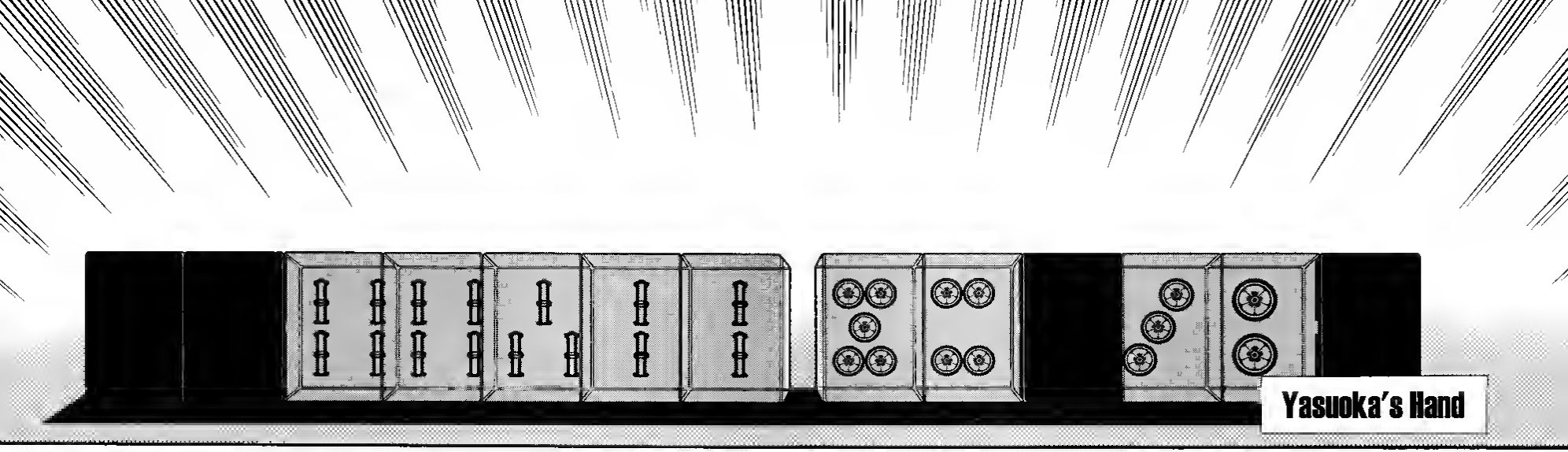

I AGREE WITH YOU.
WITH THAT PART ...

FROM JUST A LOOK AT IT NOW...
HE SEEMS TO HAVE COME A LONG WAY, ALREADY!
Yasuoka's Hand


Yasuoka's Hand


TRUE...
HE HASN'T GOTTEN HIS TENPAI YET!
BUT HE ISN'T THERE, YET!

HMM ...?
DO YOU THINK THAT IT'S ANY FURTHER AWAY THAN THAT...?
AT THE VERY LEAST, IT WOULD SEEM TO BE 2 TILES FROM TENPAI!
HOW-EVER...
IT MIGHT NOT BE IN TENPAI QUITE YET.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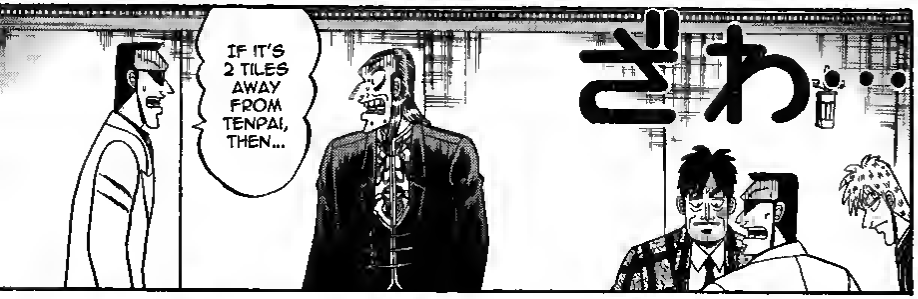
IF IT'S 2 TILES AWAY FROM TENPAI, THEN...
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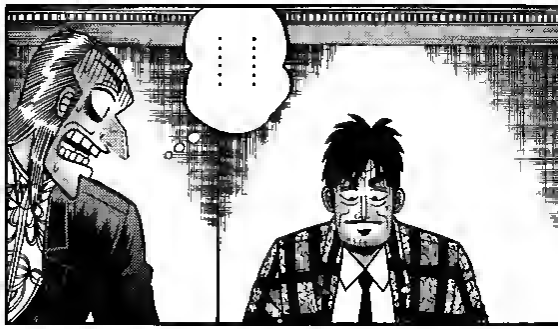
SO, FROM THERE...
IT IS POSSIBLE HE COULD ACHIEVE TENPAI WITH JUST THAT!
THAT MEANS IF HE GETS 2 MORE TURNS TO DRAW...

WELL, NO...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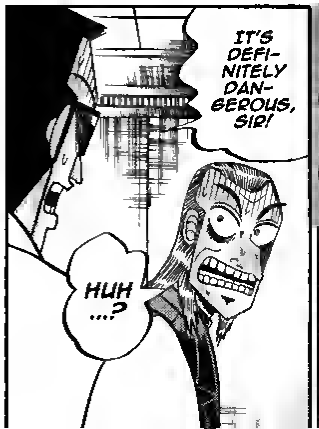
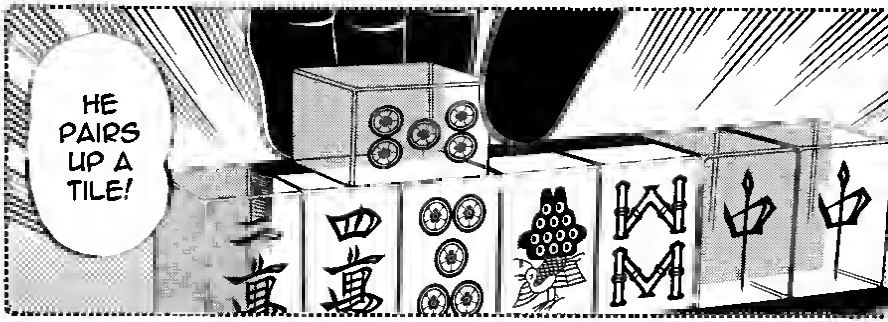
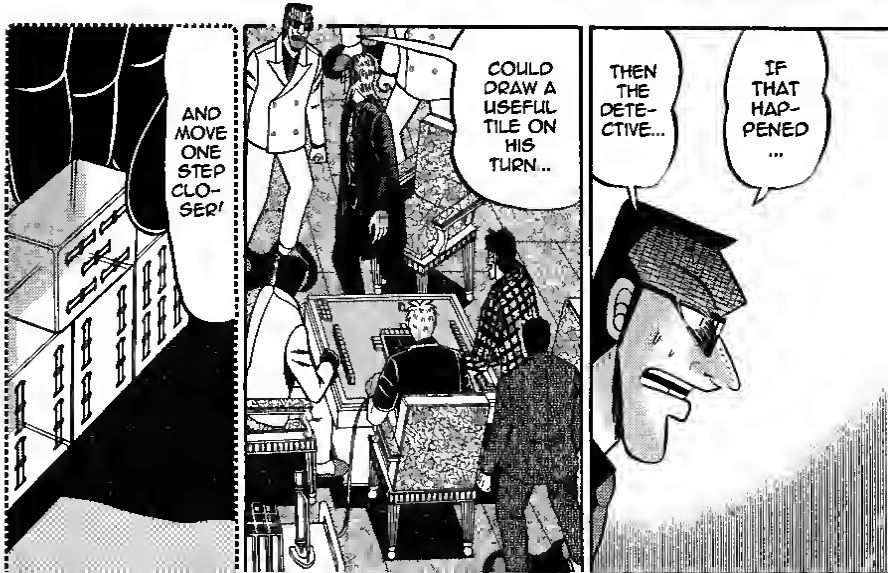

IT'S DEFINITELY DANGEROUS, SIR!
HUH ....?

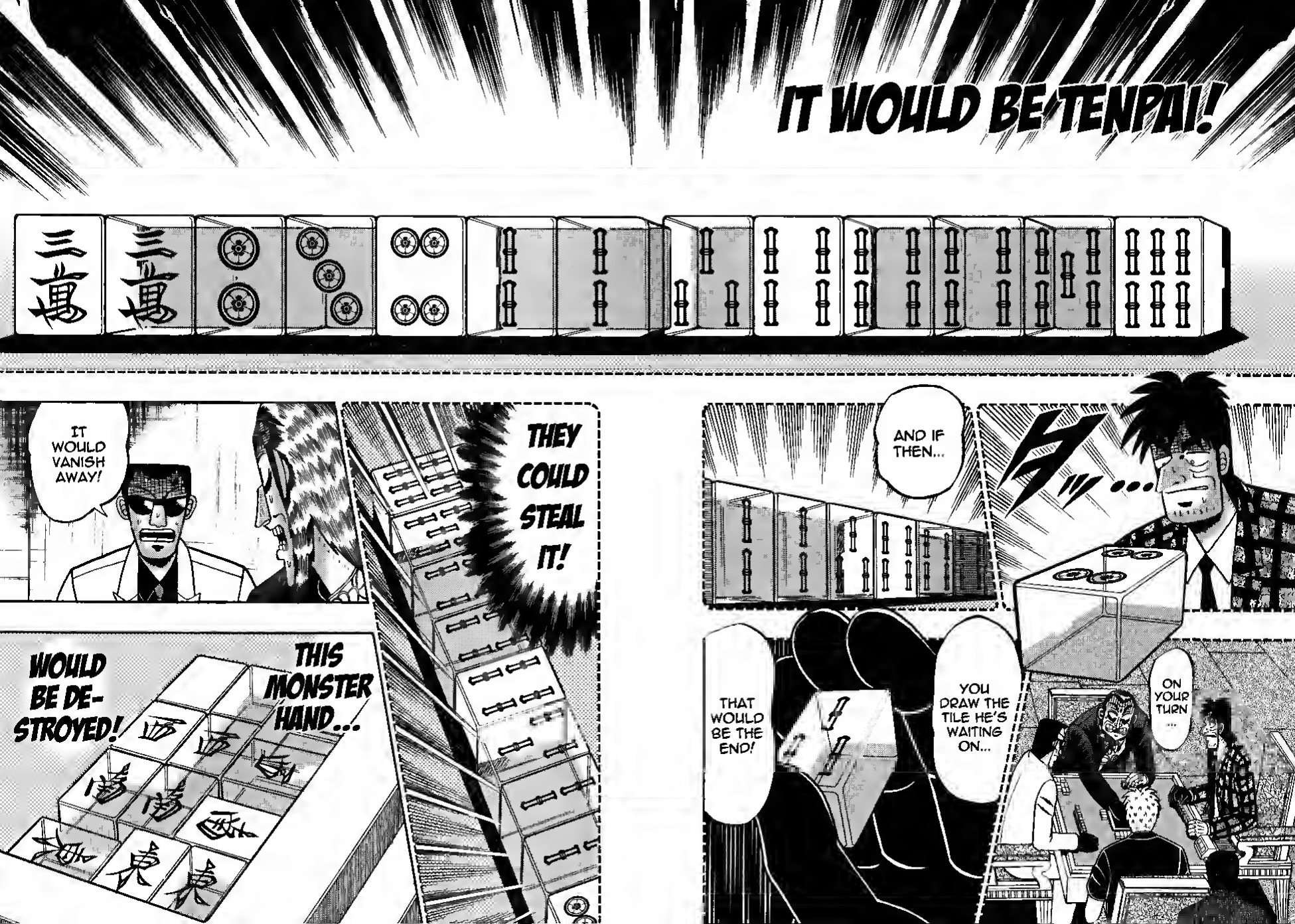
IN THAT CASE ...
I DON'T THINK SO...

SOME-WHERE IN HIS HAND...
IF, ON AKAGI'S NEXT DRAW...
CONSIDER WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN IN A CASE LIKE THIS.


HE PAIRS UP A TILE!


AND MOVE ONE STEP CLO-SER!
COULD DRAW A USEFUL TILE ON HIS TURN...
THEN THE DETE-CTIVE...
IF THAT HAP-PENED ...

IS A TILE THAT AKAGI CAN PON...
IF THE TILE THAT OVER-FLOWS...
AND THEN...
FROM THERE...
THE DETECTIVE WOULD BE ABLE TO DRAW!
THEN ONCE AGAIN...
IF HE WERE TO GET ANOTHER USEFUL TILE AT THAT POINT...


IT WOULD BE TENPAI!
三萬
三萬
IT WOULD VANISH AWAY!
THEY COULD STEAL IT!
THIS MONSTER HAND...
WOULD BE DE-STROYED!
AND IF THEN...
Hm...
THAT WOULD BE THE END!
YOU DRAW THE TILE HE'S WAITING ON...
ON YOUR TURN...

IT WOULD TOPPLE DOWN...!
CRUMBLE INTO A CLOUD OF DUST!!
GGH ...!!

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GGH ...!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA!
THERE IS A CHA-NCE!
IF YOU DO NOT MAKE USE OF SU-ZUKI'S NEXT TURN, IT IS POSSIBLE.
PLEASE, TRY AND UNDER-STAND!

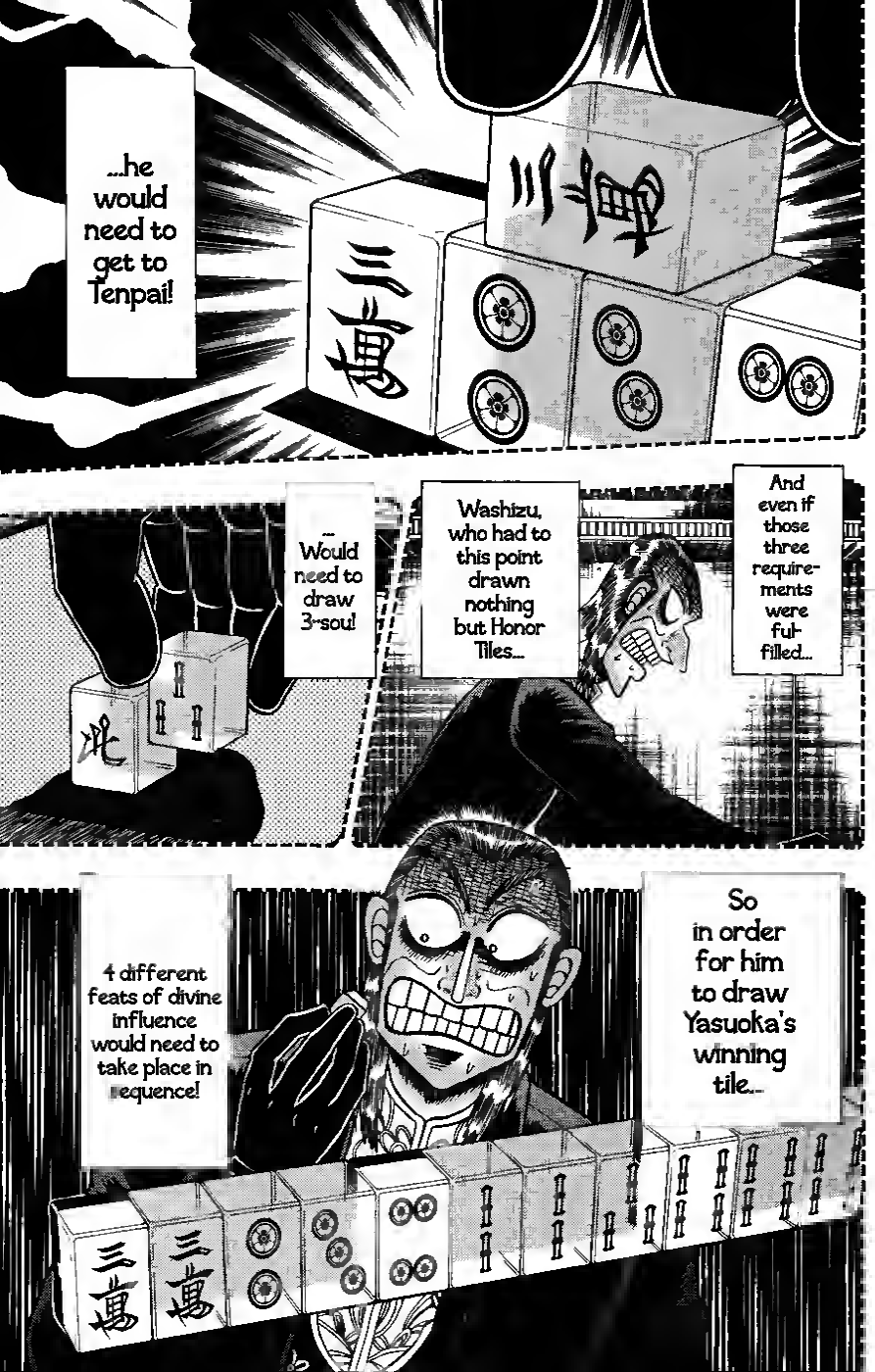
...FOR THIS DOUBLE YAKU-MAN...
TO BE REDUCED TO NOTH-ING...!!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!!
WAS-HIZU SAMA ...!!
BE QUIET!

This advice of Washizu's underling...
I... I'M SORRY, SIR!!
YOU TALK TOO MUCH!

...And get away safely!
Was based around the possibility that Yasuoka and Akagi could be able to assist each other...

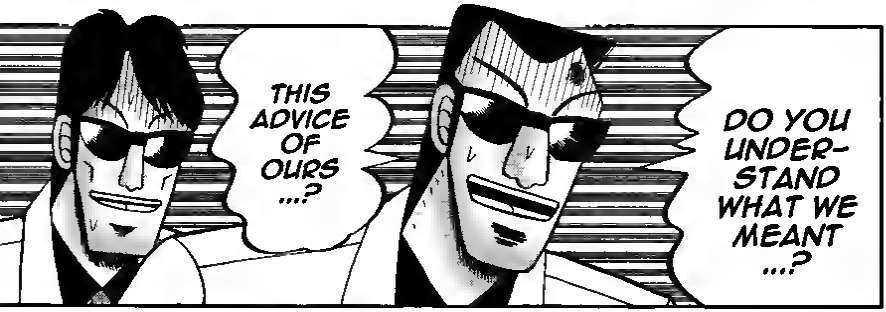
...was, in fact, possible!
To shut off Washizu's dominant position...
This revival from the brink of death...

This much was fact!
The possibility existed!
That was the first lucky break that would be needed.
Akagi could only pair his 5-pin in order to Pon...
However, in order to do so...
In the next two draws...
... to have 2 more bursts of luck.
After that, Yasuoka would need...


...he would need to get to Tenpai!
...Would need to draw 3-sou!
Washizu, who had to this point drawn nothing but Honor Tiles...
And even if those three requirements were fulfilled...
4 different feats of divine influence would need to take place in sequence!
So in order for him to draw Yasuoka's winning tile...

... miracle !!
Truly a 1-in-1000, or even 1-in-10,000...
That tiny possibility was all that remained!
A near impos-sible hap-pens-tance!
A mass asse-mbly of de-monic power ...

WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...
Do
ゲダ!!


THIS ADVICE OF OURS ...?
DO YOU UNDER-STAND WHAT WE MEANT ...?

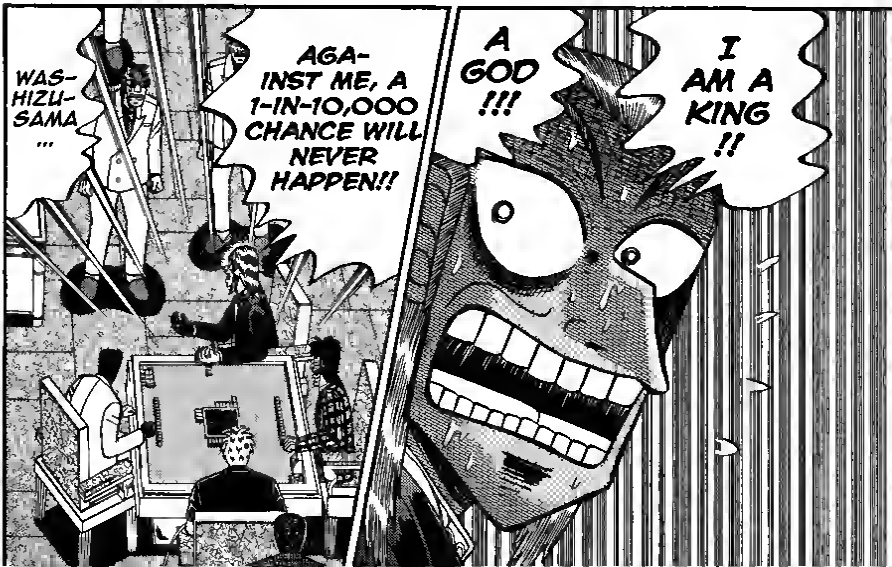
"AD-VICE" ...?
UM, WELL, YES...
WHAT ...?

I... I'M SORRY, SIR!!
YOU'RE ADVISING ME?!?!
YOU CALL THIS "ADVICE" ?!
IF I DON'T, NOTHING WILL HAPPEN!!
IF YOU DON'T-
WE'VE ALL AGREED THAT YOU HAVE TO DO THIS ...!
IT'S JUST ...
FOR THE FIRST THREE ...
WASHIZU SAMA ...!!
THOSE FOUR THINGS YOU MENTIONED CANNOT HAPPEN!!
HUH ...?
THE ONES WHERE THE DETECTIVE MIGHT PUT A TENPAI TOGETHER...

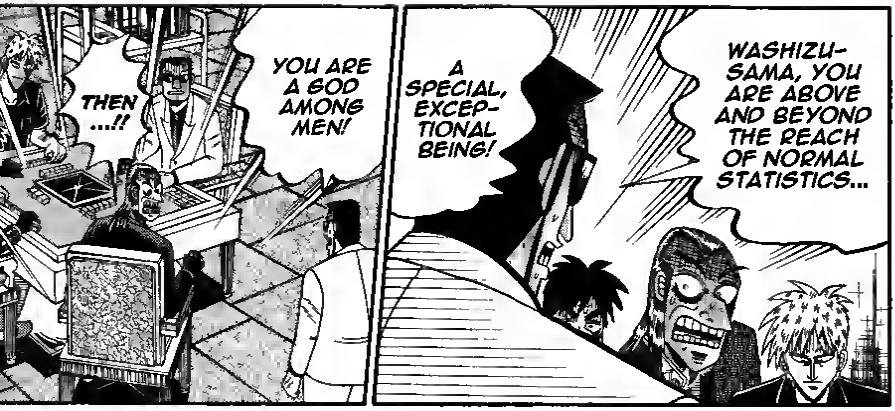
WHERE I, IN THE MIDST OF ALL THIS INCREDIBLE LUCK...
THE VERY LAST RE-QUIRE-MENT...
BUT!!
MIGHT HAPPEN OR MIGHT NOT, THAT MUCH I WILL GIVE YOU.
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...
WOULD DRAW THAT PI-ECE-OF-SHIT DE-TECTIVE'S WINNING TILE...!!
MY NEXT DRAW ...
FOR ME AS I AM NOW...
THAT MUCH IS IMPOS-SIBLE, AT THE VERY LEAST !!
IS IM-POS-SI-BLE!!

ONLY MY WINNING TILE, PEI, IS POS-SIBLE!!
...CAN ONLY BE THE PEI!!
Washizu's Hand
IN MY PO-WER?!?!
DON'T YOU BE-LIEVE IN ME?!
YOU OF ALL PEOPLE SHOULD SEE IT!!
IN OTHER WORDS...
THE FAVOR OF ALL THE HEAVENS ABOVE!!
IN MY KINGLY LUCK... MY GODLY LUCK...!!
YOSH-IOKA!
MORE THAN ANYONE ELSE IN THE WORLD...
WHY CAN YOU NOT UNDER-STAND THAT SIMPLE FACT?!

I AM AT THE VERY TOP !!


I AM A KING !!
A GOD !!!
AGA-INST ME, A 1-IN-10,000 CHANCE WILL NEVER HAPPEN!!
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...

I KNOW I HAVE BEEN COM-PLAINING QUITE A LOT...
BUT I KNOW THAT, VERY WELL.

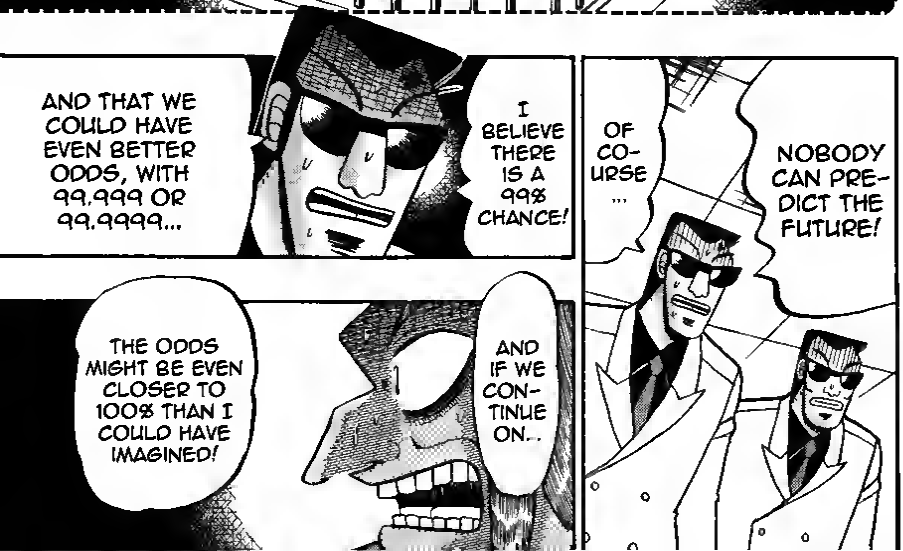

WASHIZU-SAMA, YOU ARE ABOVE AND BEYOND THE REACH OF NORMAL STATISTICS...
A SPECIAL, EXCEP-TIONAL BEING!
YOU ARE A GOD AMONG MEN!
THEN ...!!

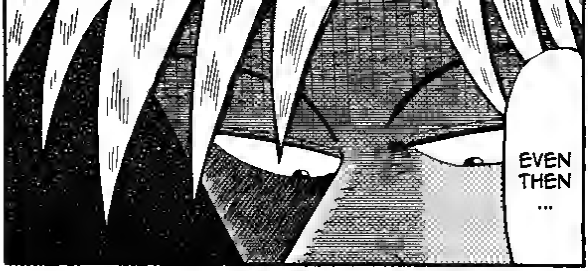
.....
BUT EVEN SO...

NOT EVEN YOU...
CAN PREDICT WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS!

ALL THINGS THAT EXIST IN THIS WORLD ARE TRAPPED INSIDE A CAGE!
AND EVEN THE GODS...
EVEN THE KINGS...
WHA....!!

A CAGE OF THE PRES-ENT!
A CAGE OF "TIME"!


AND THAT WE COULD HAVE EVEN BETTER ODDS, WITH 99.999 OR 99.9999...
I BELIEVE THERE IS A 99% CHANCE!
OF CO-URSE...
NOBODY CAN PRE-DICT THE FUTURE!
THE ODDS MIGHT BE EVEN CLOSER TO 100% THAN I COULD HAVE IMAGINED!
AND IF WE CON-TINUE ON...

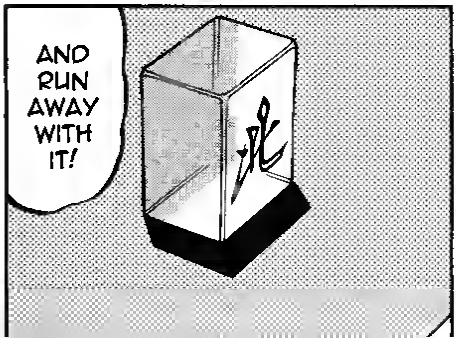

EVEN THEN ...

HOW-EVER...

YOU MUST CON-SIDER ...
THAT IT IS NOT A SURE THING!

I BEG OF YOU!
PLEASE, CONSIDER THIS ADVICE THAT I'M EXPRESS-ING TO YOU...

WAS-HIZU-SAMA!


AND RUN AWAY WITH IT!

ACCEPT THIS DEALER DOUBLE YAKUMAN!!
HERE AND NOW...

ALSO MEANS THAT WE ARE RUINED!
YOUR RUIN, WASHIZU-SAMA...
PLEASE, UNDER-STAND!
HUH ...?

FOR JUST THIS ONE HAND...
SO PLE-ASE!

HAVE SUZUKI DEAL INTO YOUR PE! WAIT!!
HAVE IT DEALT INTO!
Suzuki's Hand
IN OTHER WORDS ...
PLEASE UNDERSTAND WHAT WE MEAN, JUST THIS ONE TIME!

PLEASE, JUST LEAVE IT AT THIS!!
WE BEG OF YOU!!
GGH ...!
WASHIZU-SAMA ...!
WE BEG OF YOU!!
YOU "BEG" OF ME...?

KNOW YOUR PLACE !!
DO ANY OF YOU EVER CHANGE ?!
THAT'S RIDICU-LOUS!!

WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!
YOU WORK FOR ME!! I DON'T HAVE TO LISTEN TO YOU!!
WHY SHOULD I DO WHAT YOU SAY?!

HERE AND NOW...
WASHIZU-SAMA, DO YOU HAVE ANY QUALMS IF...

... THEN ...
HOW ABOUT THIS.
HMM ...?

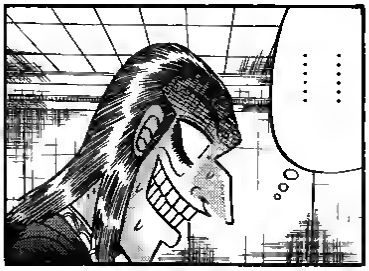
WE PLAY THE PEI...?

ごわ…
HUH ...?
YOU DON'T MIND, DO YOU?
ごわ…
ごわ…
IF YOU'RE GOING TO DRAW THE PEI AFTER THIS...
THEN IT DOESN'T MATTER, DOES IT...?
IT SHOULDN'T BOTHER YOU IF SUZUKI JUST GIVES YOU THE CHANCE TO DEAL IN!
AM I WR-ONG ...?
K-HEM HEM HEM ...
I SEE... YOU'RE ABSO-LUTELY RIGHT!

I WON'T TAKE IT!
BUT EVEN IF YOU DEAL IT, I WON'T WIN!
NO ...!
YOU CAN DO AS YOU LIKE!
WASHIZU-SAMA, YOU HAVE BOTH IMPORTANT QUALITIES!
IF IT IS DEALT...
SO I BELIEVE!
BOTH FIRE AND WATER!
YOU HAVE COURAGE AND WISDOM...

IF YOU SEE THE WIN IN FRONT OF YOU...
THEN YOU WILL ACCEPT IT! I BELIEVE IN THAT!

I'M NOT THAT EASY TO CON-TROL...!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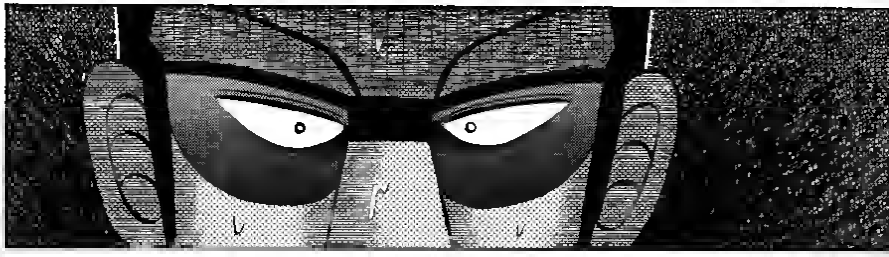
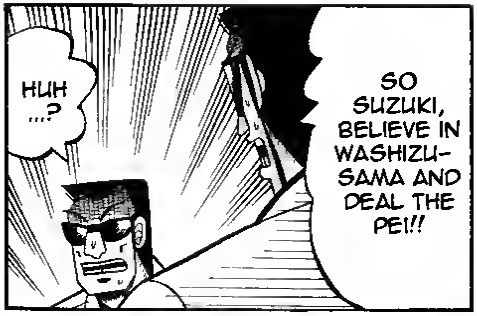
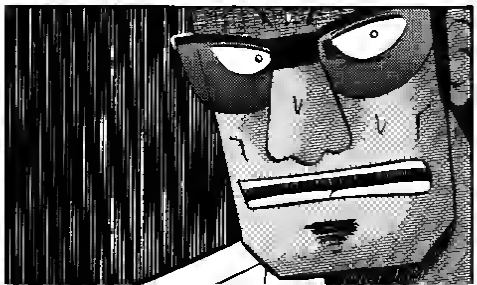
K-HEH HEH HEH...

NO, SIR ...!
BUT I WON'T TAKE IT!
DO WHAT YOU LIKE...




HUH ...?
SO SUZUKI, BELIEVE IN WASHIZU-SAMA AND DEAL THE PE!!

YOU WILL DECIDE THAT IT IS BEST!
YOU WILL WIN!
THAT IS NOT TRUE!



SU-ZUKI !!
GGH ....!
DON'T BE AFR-AID!!
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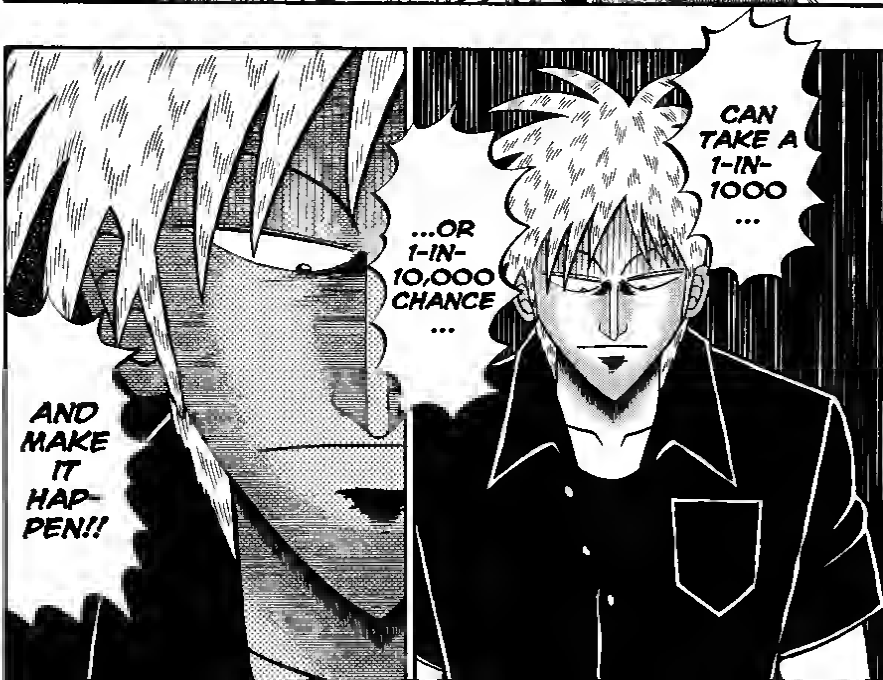
選択
DECISION
LET IT GO!!
OF PLAYING THE PEI, HERE!
DON'T BE AFR-AID...

GG GG HH HH ...!
LET THE PE! GO, SU-ZUK!!!
NO MATTER WHAT HE SAYS TO THE CON-TRARY...
WAS-HIZU-SAMA WILL WIN OFF IT!
IT'S OKAY!
BUT...
HUH ...?
THE ONE TO BE AFRAID OF RIGHT NOW IS AKAGI!!
SO MORE THAN THAT ...
IN THE END, HE WILL ACCEPT THE WIN WHEN IT'S RIGHT BEFORE HIM!

GGH ...!
HAHH ...!
THAT MAN!!
THAT'S RIGHT ...!

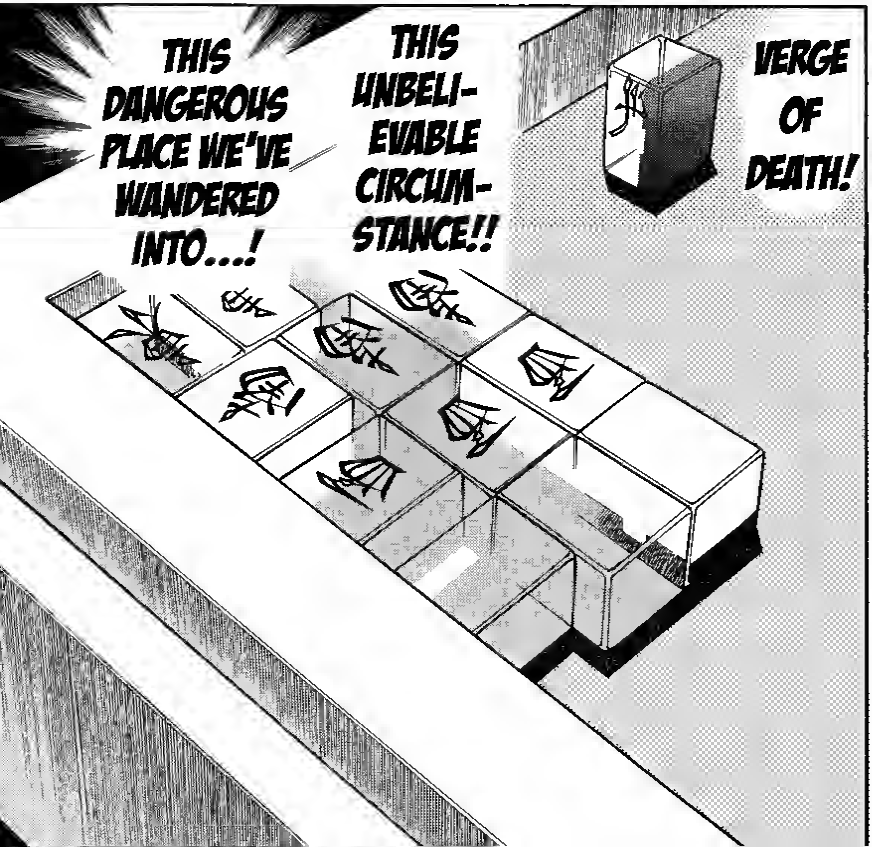
DON'T GIVE HIM EVEN ONE MORE CHANCE TO DRAW!!
THAT MAN IS WHO WE SHOULD BE AFRAID OF!!
BE-CAUSE THAT MAN...


CAN TAKE A 1-IN-1000 ...
...OR 1-IN-10,000 CHANCE ...
AND MAKE IT HAP-PEN!!

SO THAT'S WHY...
AHH ...!
SO THAT'S WHY WE NEED TO DECIDE IT NOW!!
PUT THIS HAND IN THE BANK!!
COME ON!!
DON'T GIVE AKAGI A CHA-NCE!!
DON'T LET HIM MOVE!
GGH ...!

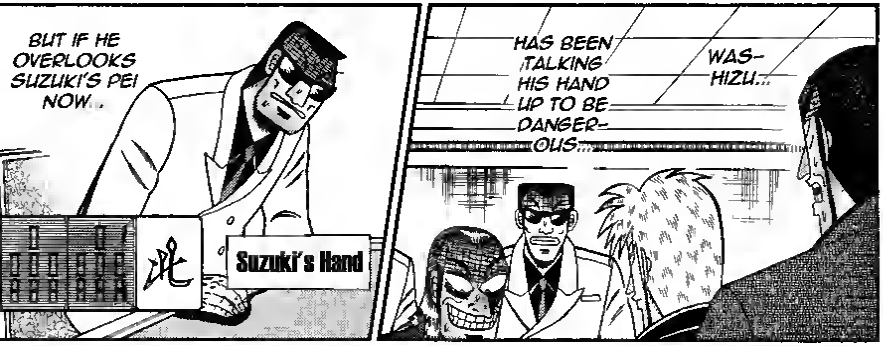
SU-ZU-KI!!
GR RR GH HH HH ...!
SU-ZUK! ...!!
.....
ざわ..
WHOA, WHOA, WHOA ...!
WHOA ...!
ざわ..
ざわ..
IF EVERY-THING WORKS OUT IN JUST THE RIGHT WAY
TO SOME-THING THAT COULD BE THE BEST FOR US...!
SOMEHOW, THIS HAS WORKED AROUND
WHAT'S GOING ON, HERE ...?

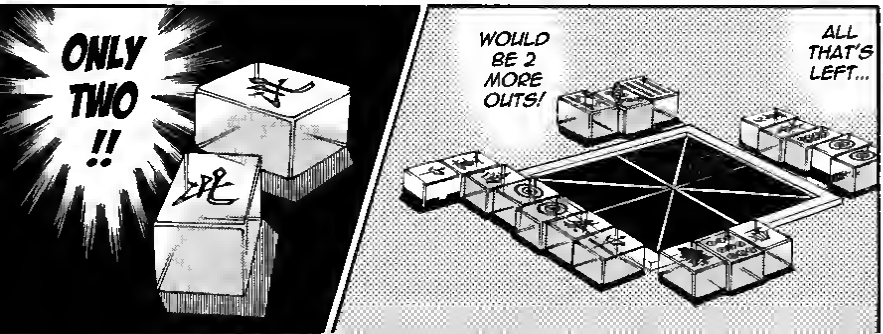
THIS...
THIS PINCH WE'RE IN!
WE MIGHT JUST BE ABLE TO ENDURE IT...!


THIS DANGEROUS PLACE WE'VE WANDERED INTO...!
THIS UNBELI-EVABLE CIRCUM-STANCE!!
VERGE OF DEATH!

I MEAN, THINK ABOUT IT!
ドキ。。
ドキ。。
ドキ！
ドキ！
IT'S A HUGE, MONSTER HAND...
THAT HAND ALONE IS CERTAINLY NOTHING TO SNEEZE AT...
SO IF HE DOESN'T HAVE IT DEALT INTO NOW...
...IS THAT IT CAN ONLY WIN THROUGH PEI!
THE MOST IM-PORTANT THING...
BUT IN THE END, IT ONLY HAS A SINGLE WAIT!

PLAIN AND SIMPLE!
...IT PROBABLY WON'T BE COMP-LETED!


BUT IF HE OVERLOOKS SUZUKI'S PEI NOW...
Suzuki's Hand
HAS BEEN TALKING HIS HAND UP TO BE DANGER-OUS...
WAS-HIZU...


ONLY TWO !!
WOULD BE 2 MORE OUTS!
ALL THAT'S LEFT...

THAT'S ALL THERE IS TO IT!
ドキ
ドキ
ドキ
ドキ
HE CAN'T!
AS IF HE'D BE ABLE TO DRAW IT!
HE CAN'T DRAW IT!!
BRING IT ON!!!
SO BRING IT!

IF SUZUKI PLAYS HIS PEI NOW...
AND WASHIZU KEEPS HIS WORD...
AND DOESN'T WIN OFF IT...
THIS IS SOME-THING I NEVER WOULD'VE THOUGHT OF...
BUT IT SOUNDS INTER-ESTING!!
WE CAN ENDURE!!
WE CAN KILL IT!!
WE CAN SMASH IT!

BURY IT ALIVE !!!
THAT DOUBLE YAKU-MAN!!
Takes a lengthy time to think!
Su-zuki...
GGG HHH ...!!
He fin-ally...
And at the end of it all...
His hand moves bit by hest-tant bit...

Makes his decision!!

He deals Pei!
He dec- ided to deal his Pei!
He deals in!!

He deals in to Was-hizu!!
OH-HOOOOHHHH!!
IT CAME OUT....!!
THERE IT IS!!
THE PEI....!!

SO NOW ...
THE PEI.....!!
THE PEI....!
THE PEI.....!!!
ALL THAT'S LEFT...
ALL THAT'S LEFT .....!!

WAS-
HIZU
IWAO
...!!
IS
HIM!!
WHICH
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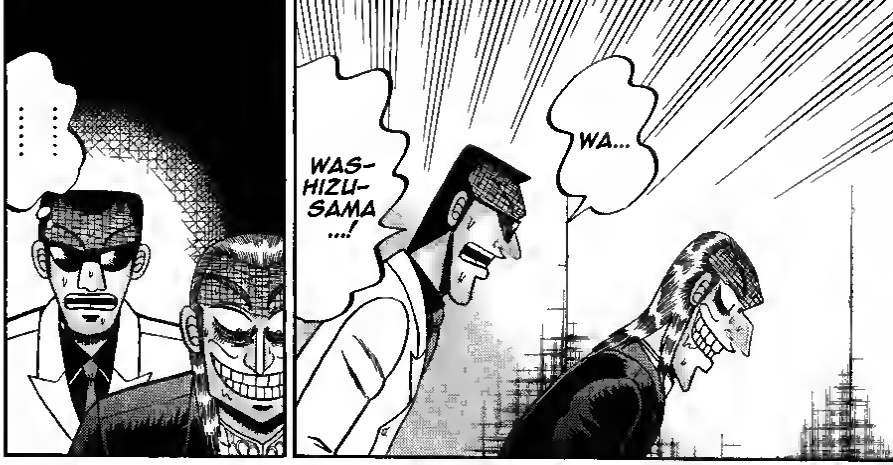
...?
ざわ...
WHICH
...?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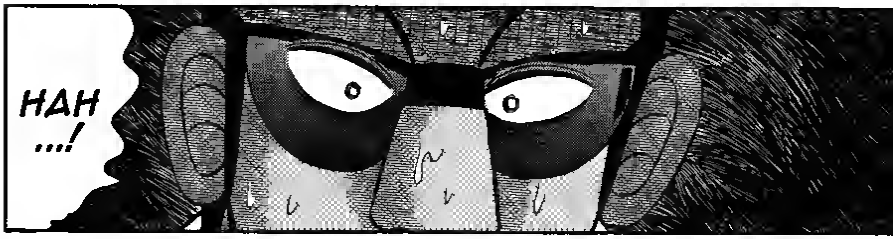
WAS-HIZU-SAMA ...!
WA...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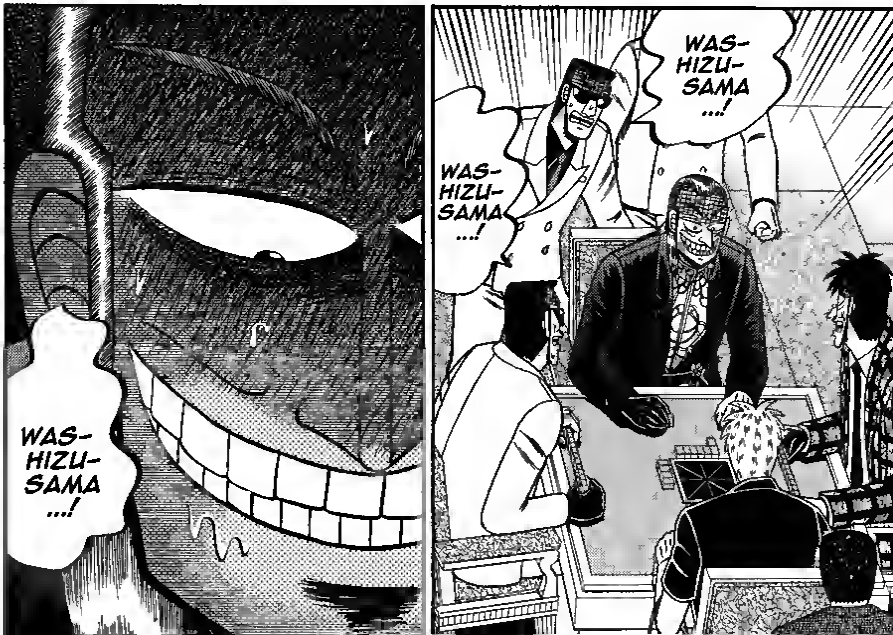
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...!

KHEH
...
WAS-
HIZU-
SAMA
...!!

HEH...
EH HEH HEH ...!
KHAH HAH HAH ...!
KHOH HOH HOH ...!
HUHHHH ...?

DON'T MAKE ME REPEAT MYSELF ...!
I. WILL. DRAW. THIS. PEI!!

WAS-
HIZU-
SAMA
!!!
WHOA
...!!

WHOA-
HOHH
HHHH
HHHH
!!
AHH
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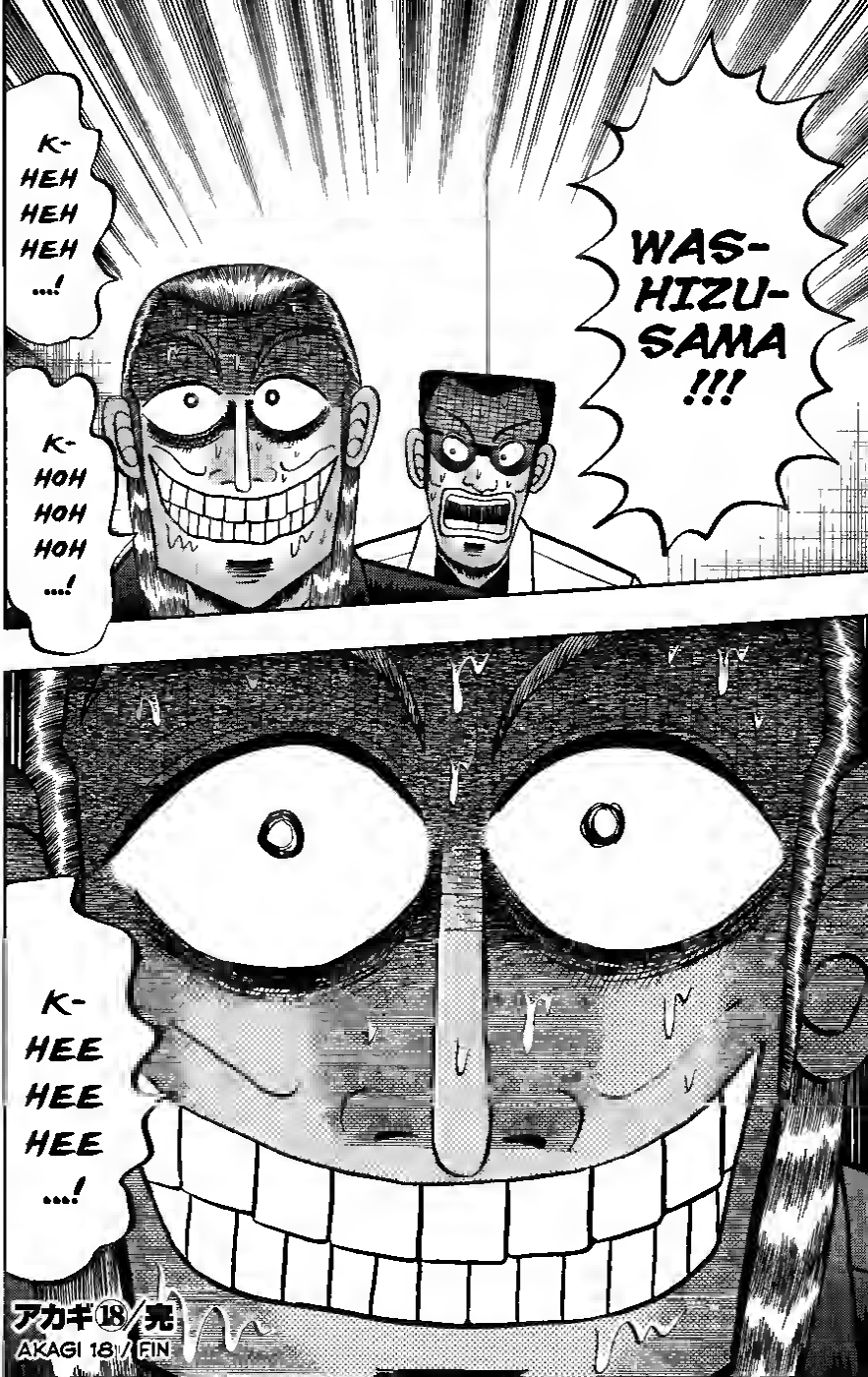

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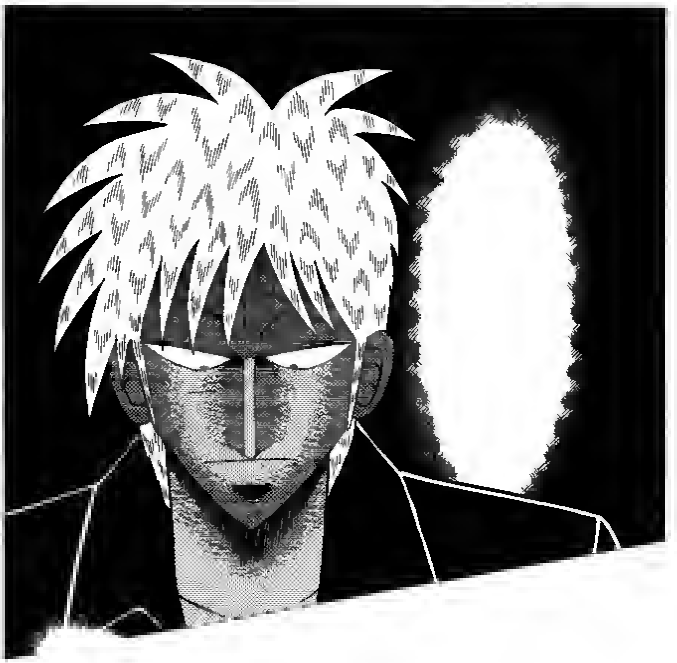

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